

Alexandria Gazette.

THURSDAY EVENING, JAN. 17, 1901.

LOCAL MATTERS.

—An illness tomorrow at 7:17 a. m. and at 5:03 p. m.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.—For this section generally fair and colder tonight. Friday fair; northwesterly wind, fresh to brisk on the coast.

POLICE COMMISSIONERS.—The monthly meeting of the Police Commissioners was held last night, with the four members present. Capt. Bryant presided. The monthly report of Chief of Police Webster was read as follows:

Since my last report nothing of a serious character has occurred. Few cases of petty larceny, which amounted to but little, have been reported. Lieut. Smith, Sergeant and Officers Howson and Atkinson are now off duty on account of sickness. On the 30th day of December, 1900, at 2 o'clock p. m., I changed the beats of policemen, the two months having expired at that time. On the day after I made the change his honor, the Mayor, called my attention to making the change and informed me that he wanted no orders taken from the Police Commissioners, as he being at the head of the police was responsible for their acts. I informed him that I had received no orders from any of the members of the commission, but had carried out the police regulations, section 50, which required me to change the beats of the men every two months. He said the change had been made it was all right.

Commissioner Price offered the following:

Resolved, That all reports are required to report all proceedings of the board and not to aid to nor take from the proceedings; otherwise they will be denied the privilege of the floor.

Mr. Price said he offered the resolution because a Washington paper had made a statement that a matter recently before the board would amount to nothing.

Messrs. Bryant and Miller said they would vote for the resolution if it was passed, but hoped it would not be at this meeting. They felt sure that the correspondents would gladly comply with such a request without the formality of a resolution.

Mr. Price then withdrew the resolution. Mr. Miller said the matter of Sergeant Smith should have come up at this meeting, but on account of the latter's illness it would be postponed.

Capt. Bryant said the matter would be taken up as soon as possible and gotten through with.

It is understood that a statement has been received by the commissioners from Commonwealth's Attorney Marbury, who is now in South Carolina, giving his version of the interview held between himself and Sergeant Smith in relation to the recent movement to have Mr. Price declared ineligible to serve as a commissioner.

Captain Bryant said in regard to the communication from Capt. Webster that he believed the latter had instructions from the board and had orders to see that they were carried out.

The meeting then adjourned, subject to the call of the secretary.

MISSING MAN FOUND.—Benjamin H. Watt, who left his home in this city Monday morning and whose disappearance occasioned his friends much apprehension, was sent to the Washington Asylum Hospital on Monday night by the police of that city. Mr. Watt was found in an apparently demented condition on the streets of Washington Monday night. The only information he was able to give about himself was his name and age, and it was decided to send him to the hospital for treatment. Many of Mr. Watt's friends in this city suggested that he had strayed to Washington when his disappearance was discovered, he having a daughter in that city, and an Alexandrian had stated that he had seen the missing man there Monday. The fact that he has been located and is being cared for affords his friends great relief, as it was feared that while suffering from dementia he had committed suicide or wandered in the woods and died from exhaustion.

MEETINGS.—The annual meeting of the New Washington Brick Company for the election of nine directors to serve for the ensuing year was held today at No. 111 south Fairfax street. The following officers were elected: T. L. Holbrook, president; E. J. White, treasurer; W. F. Mattingly, secretary; James R. Caton, attorney; T. L. Holbrook, C. J. Bell, William F. Mattingly, Nathaniel Wilson, E. L. White, B. P. Watrous, Z. T. Sowers, Ward Thorne and Wm. A. Richards, directors.

The stockholders of the Potomac Stone Company held their annual meeting at No. 128 south Fairfax street today.

The annual meeting of stockholders of the Atlantic Building Company of Washington was held today at the office of Col. F. L. Smith, when officers for the ensuing year were elected.

POLICE COURT.—The following cases were disposed of today:

A white man, charged with drunken and disorderly conduct, was dismissed. Emanuel Jackson, colored, charged with gambling, was fined \$3.

Thomas Ely, charged with gambling, was fined \$3.

Ernest Page, charged with throwing missiles and injuring property in the market building, was fined \$2.50.

Wm. Jackson and Henry Clark, charged with gambling, were fined \$3 each.

Night Report.—Last night was clear and cold. Two prisoners and four lodgers were at the station house.

DEATH OF A FORMER ALEXANDRIAN.—Mr. William H. Windsor, for many years a resident of this city, died at his home near Fairfax street yesterday afternoon, aged seventy-three years. He was a bricklayer in this city, but some years ago he purchased a farm in Fairfax county, and had since engaged in farming. Heart disease is supposed to have caused his death. He left no immediate family, but was related to several persons in this city and county. The deceased was a member of Alexandria-Washington Lodge of Masons, and his remains will be brought to the lodge rooms in this city where they will be interred with Masonic honors tomorrow.

The Best Prescription for Chills and Fever is a bottle of GROVE'S TARTARIC CHILL TONIC. It is simply iron and quinine in a tasteful form. No cure—no pay. 50c

When threatened by pneumonia or any other lung trouble, prompt relief is necessary, as it is dangerous to delay. We would suggest that One Minute Cough Cure be taken as soon as indications of having taken cold are noticed. It cures quickly and its early use prevents consumption.

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PERSONAL.—Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bales, of upper King street, attended a progressive euchre party last evening at the residence of Mrs. J. S. Vogt, Washington. Mr. and Mrs. Bales won the two first prizes. The lady's prize was a handsome centre piece; the gentleman's a very fine waste basket. After a bountiful repast Mr. and Mrs. Bales left amid a chorus of cheers for the Alexandria euchre players.

Mrs. Isaac Gregg will not be at home tomorrow evening, but will receive the next Friday in January at the Colonial, in Georgetown.

Mr. Leroy Beach and Miss Flora Nagala, both of this city, were quietly married in Washington last night.

Dr. E. S. Pawcett continues extremely ill at his home on Prince street. Mr. Carvoso Lambdin formerly of this city, is ill in New York with typhoid fever which developed while he was on board a vessel from South Africa.

The wedding of Miss Ann Hough Usher, daughter of Mr. Lycurgus E. Usher, and Mr. A. Herbert Oliver, of Washington, will take place tonight, at the residence of the bride's parents, 321 south Washington street. The ceremony will be performed by Rev. Father McGee, of Washington.

The Junior Card Club was faithfully entertained last night at the residence of Mrs. H. F. Robertson by Miss Hart. The prize was won by Dr. Thos. Cochran and Miss Annie Washington.

Mrs. Henry F. Robertson, who has been quite sick with the grip, has, many friends will be glad to learn, entirely recovered.

Rev. Dr. Slattery, of Baltimore, was in the city yesterday the guest of his friend, Rev. H. J. Cutler, having come here to consult the latter in reference to the expediency of stationing a priest at the Catholic Church in this city to do mission work among the colored people.

DRUGGISTS ON TRIAL.—Several of the Alexandria druggists were before the Mayor this morning charged with violating the State pharmacy laws. The specific charges were as follows:

One for doing relief clerk work without paying the annual registration fee; one for conducting a drug store without paying the annual registration fee; one for employing an unregistered clerk who was permitted to put up prescriptions during the absence of the proprietor.

Capt. A. B. Gulgon, of Richmond, attorney for the State Board of Pharmacy, appeared for the board, and the druggists were represented by Messrs. C. A. Carlin and S. G. Brent. After preliminary statements the cases were continued till tomorrow. It is understood that the druggists against whom the charges were brought will contest the constitutionality of the law, while the other druggists of the city heartily favor the existing law.

POLITICAL.—Invitations in the shape of a circular letter have been sent to a number of citizens requesting them to meet at the rooms of the Business Men's League tomorrow night to consider the matter of electing sixteen members of the City Council at the coming municipal election. It is understood from the letter that no nominations for city officers or Aldermen will be considered, but that sixteen new and progressive men will be chosen for Councilmen in place of the present members and run upon an independent ticket. A prominent republican stated this morning that he had received one of the invitations and would attend, and of course would do all in his power next spring to defeat the democratic ticket. This, he said, was only politics, however.

WOMAN BURNED.—A colored woman named Mary Coleman, employed at the residence of Mr. Frank Warfield, on south Fairfax street, was seriously burned about four o'clock this afternoon by the explosion of a gasoline stove. The unfortunate woman ran in to the street with her clothing burning and cried "Fire!" The department responded and soon extinguished the flames in the house. Neighbors rushed to the aid of the woman, but, however, until after she was seriously burned, her clothing having been entirely consumed. She was taken to the Infirmary for treatment.

ICE FACTORY.—The Robert Porter Brewing Company is now engaged in erecting a model ice plant on the north-east corner of St. Asaph and Wythe streets, diagonally opposite the brewery. The plant will have a capacity of making more ice than will be required for brewing purposes and it is said that during the summer the surplus may be put upon the market. This will make two well equipped ice plants in this city and hereafter there may be no fear of an ice famine.

BOER MEETING.—Jan Krige, who served in the Boer war in the Transvaal, delivered a lecture at the Opera House last night and told in an interesting way of the manners and customs of the Boers and all about the war now being waged against his people by England. Judge Yoder, of Ohio, also made a few remarks. Mayor Simpson presided, and a number of prominent citizens occupied seats on the stage. The meeting was not very largely attended.

MEMORIAL BRIDGE HEARING.—The Senate committee on the District of Columbia yesterday gave a hearing on the proposed Memorial bridge. General Wilson and Colonel Allen, of the engineer corps of the army, and Architect Keller appeared and were questioned. No decision was reached as to the final plans. The discussion was to consider the advisability of substituting the Keller plans for what are known as the Burr plans for a memorial bridge.

CONCERT.—Among those who will sing at the concert to be given at the Opera House next Wednesday night for the benefit of Grace Church will be Miss Lillian Abbott Lake, of Baltimore, who is considered one of the leading singers of that city. Others who will participate are Miss Beatrice Hotel, Miss Catharine Weiderhold and Miss Atridgie Virginia Jacobs, all of Washington.

SUDDEN DEATH.—Isaac Johnson, a well-known old colored man, died suddenly this morning at his home on Fairfax street, between Princess and Oronoco. Dr. Purvis, the city coroner, was called, viewed the remains and stated that death resulted from natural causes.

THE WEATHER.—The fair and mild weather of the past few days underwent a change last night, when the skies became overcast and this morning broke gloomily, the clouds portending snow. In the afternoon a few flakes began to sail lazily toward the earth and subsequently their numbers grew into myriads. The ground, however, was too warm for snow to lay and it melted as fast as it fell.

ARRESTED.—Joseph Johnson, colored, was arrested in this city today about 2 p. m. by U. S. Deputy Marshal Glover for violation of the pension law, on complaint of A. W. Roone, pension inspector, who had a warrant sworn out before U. S. Commissioner John S. Fowler. Johnson will have a hearing tomorrow at 1 p. m. before U. S. Commissioner Fowler.

CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE CITY.—Judge C. E. Nicol presiding. Watson, administrator vs. the W. A. & M. V. Ry.; jury case in progress.

Quality and not quantity makes DeWitt's Little Early Riders such valuable little liver pills.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

It is rumored that a movement is on foot for the establishment of another bank in this city.

The new snow being built for Mr. Lewis E. Smoot is ready to be put overboard, and will go into service very shortly.

Many houses in Prince George's county, Md., on the opposite side of the river, are dying with a disease similar to blind staggers.

City Engineer Holcombe has greatly improved Princess street from St. Asaph to the river. The work has been done at a small cost.

The protracted meetings being held in the M. E. Church South continue to be largely attended. Last night there were four conversions.

The little son of Mr. George Evans, who has been confined to his home with a mild case of varioloid, has entirely recovered and the quarantine against the house has been raised.

A rehearsal of the vesper services to be held in St. Mary's Catholic Church Sunday evening, February 17, under the auspices of the Fitzgerald Council, Knights of Columbus, was held last night.

A merchant of this city recently received a letter from New York in which he was told to send the merchant's advertisement of Albenale pippins in the Gazette and requested him to ship him a barrel.

A raconteur took place on Cameron street, between Washington and St. Asaph, this morning, between two well-known citizens, during which several blows were struck, but neither of the gentlemen received serious injuries.

The Young Men's Social Lyceum will give a progressive euchre party at their rooms on Tuesday evening. After the party, stereoscopic views will be shown. The proceeds will be used for the improvement of the athletic club.

Marriage licenses were issued in Washington yesterday to Clinton E. Payne and Marie E. Hackley, both of Fairfax county; John H. Harnsbrough and Annie Flannell, both of Alexandria; Silas W. Putnam and Eliza J. Hewitt, both of Bel Air; James A. Jones, of Williamsburg, and Mary L. Dunlap, and to John W. Bodmer, of Aldie, and Ella L. Goode, of Purcellville.

A Prominent Chicago Woman Speaks. Prof. Rosa Tyler, of Chicago, Vice-President Illinois Woman's Alliance, in speaking of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, says: "I suffered with a severe cold this winter which threatened to run into pneumonia. I tried different remedies but I seemed to grow worse and the medicine upset my stomach. A friend advised me to try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and it relieved me at once. I am now entirely recovered, saved a doctor's bill, time and suffering, and I will never be without this splendid medicine again." For sale by Richard Gibson, druggist.

Persons who suffer from indigestion cannot expect to live long, because the cannot eat the food required to nourish the body and the weakness of the undigested foods they do eat poison the blood. It is important to cure indigestion as soon as possible, and the best method of doing this is to use the preparation known as Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. It digests what you eat and restores all the digestive organs to perfect health.

MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

New York, Jan. 17.—The stock market opened active and irregular. Firmness was apparent in a number of stocks.

WHOLESALE PRICES IN ALEXANDRIA.

Flour Extra..... 2.75 a 3.15
Family..... 3.50 a 3.90
Fancy brand..... 4.00 a 4.90
Wheat, longberry..... 0.72 a 0.75
Mixed..... 0.72 a 0.74
Fats..... 0.72 a 0.75
Lard..... 0.60 a 0.65
Corn, white..... 0.00 a 0.45
Mixed..... 0.00 a 0.44
Yellow..... 0.60 a 0.63
Corn Meal..... 0.45 a 0.50
Oats, mixed..... 0.30 a 0.32
White..... 0.33 a 0.35
Elgin Print Butter..... 0.25 a 0.60
Butter, Virginia, packed..... 0.10 a 0.20
Choice Virginia..... 0.21 a 0.22
Common to middling..... 0.12 a 0.14
Eggs..... 0.18 a 0.19
Beef, hind quarter..... 0.75 a 0.08
Fore quarters..... 0.60 a 0.65
Dressed hogs, small..... 0.54 a 0.6
Large..... 0.8 a 0.9
Turkeys, live..... 0.8 a 0.9
Undrawn..... 0.9 a 0.10
Drawn..... 0.8 a 0.11
Live Chickens (heavy)..... 0.7 a 0.8
Dressed..... 0.8 a 0.9
Veal Calves..... 0.54 a 0.6
Potatoes, Va., bush..... 0.65 a 0.7
Sweet Potatoes, bbl..... 1.65 a 1.75
Onions, per bushel..... 0.50 a 0.65
Dried Peaches, peeled..... 0.74 a 0.8
Porto Rico..... 0.18 a 0.28
Chestnuts..... 0.03 a 0.03
Sugar Syrup..... 0.16 a 0.24
Herring, Eastern per bbl..... 0.75 a 0.8
Potatoes No. 1..... 2.75 a 3.00
Potomac family rice..... 4.00 a 4.50
Do, half barrel..... 2.00 a 2.25
Potomac Shad..... 9.00 a 10.00
Mackerel, small, per bbl..... 15.00 a 18.00
No 3 medium..... 15.00 a 16.00
No. 2..... 18.00 a 20.00
Plaster, ground, per ton..... 4.50 a 5.00
Ground in bags..... 5.00 a 5.50
Lump..... 6.00 a 7.50
Clover Seed..... 6.00 a 6.50
Timothy..... 2.00 a 2.20
Old process Linseed Meal..... 31.00 a 32.00
Salt-G. A..... 0.75 a 0.80
Pine..... 1.05 a 1.25
Turk's Island..... 1.00 a 1.00
Wool—long, unwashed..... 0.20 a 0.21
Washed..... 0.24 a 0.26
Merino, unwashed..... 0.17 a 0.18
Do, washed..... 0.20 a 0.22
Cottonseed Meal..... 30.00 a 32.00
Cotton Seed Mixed Feed..... 12.00 a 13.00
Sunac..... 0.70 a 0.75
Hay..... 15.00 a 17.00
Cut do..... 13.00 a 15.00
Wheat Bran per ton..... 14.50 a 15.50
Brown Middlings..... 15.00 a 16.00
White Middlings..... 16.00 a 17.00
Unpeeled..... 0.6 a 0.7
Dried Cherries..... 0.8 a 0.9
Dried Apples..... 0.8 a 0.9
Bacon, country ham..... 0.114 a 0.124
Best sugar-cured hams..... 0.11 a 0.11
Butcher's hams..... 0.11 a 0.114
Breakfast Bacon..... 0.114 a 0.12
Sugar-cured shoulders..... 0.74 a 0.8
Bulk shoulders..... 0.74 a 0.7
Dry Salted..... 0.64 a 0.7
Fat backs..... 0.64 a 0.7

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Smoked Beef.....	0 14	a	0 18 1/2
Sugar—Brown.....	0 00	a	5 64
Off.....	0 00	a	5 74
Con. standard.....	0 00	a	5 64
Granulated.....	0 00	a	5 64
Coffee—Rio.....	9 8 1/2	a	0 12
Laguayra.....	0 14	a	0 18
Mocha B. S.....	0 16	a	0 20
Java.....	0 2	a	0 14
C. B.....	0 17	a	0 22
New Orleans.....	0 20	a	0 45

MEMBERS OF ALEXANDRIA-WASHINGTON LODGE NO. 22, A. F. & M. U. are requested to assemble at the Masonic Temple at 10 o'clock TOMORROW (Friday) AFTERNOON to attend the funeral of their late brother, William H. Windsor, Members of Andrew Jackson Lodge, No. 120, and all Masons in good standing are invited to attend.

By order of the Worshipful Master,
JAS. S. DOUGLAS, Sec'y.

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NOTICE.

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There will be a general meeting of the Bachelor Club at the club room on THURSDAY, January 19th, at 8:30 p. m. The members are requested to be present. F. S. HARPER, Secretary.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF ALEXANDRIA, VA.
Alexandria, Va., Jan. 16, 1901.
SATURDAY, January 19th, being General Lee's Birthday—a legal holiday—this bank will be closed. CHAS. R. HOOFF, President.

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Clearance Sale of Dress Goods Remnants.

Colors and black. Lengths suitable for children's dresses and women's waists, house dresses, walking suits, separate skirts—all sorts of materials, imported and domestic, in plaids, plaids, and fancies. Also a few handsome imported Dress Lengths. Some we've made half price, some a quarter—all are marked for quick and complete clearance.

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